

NORTH PACIFIC NEWS NOTES.

ORIGON. It is stated that during the month the Portland exposition was open the Washington street car line carried 352,800 passengers.

The New Independence on Goose creek, will be started with a mill, a boarding house and two dwelling houses.

Rev. A. C. Spencer and a man by the name of Bally had a street fight at Milton last week and the R. V. gentleman got his nose punched.

The biggest firm in Oregon is said to be that of Crume & Davis, of Sheild, the combined weight of the two men being 600 pounds.—Halsey News.

On the stage line between Heppner and Monument is a team that is about 22 years old. Frank and Jim have been pulling the stage for about 16 years.—Long Creek Eagle.

Wm. Bumeratz formerly a freight conductor on the U. P. R. R. committed suicide last Friday at La Grande by taking laudanum. A man by the name of Clayburn had treated to shoot him.

A woman in this community has a goose which came into her possession when she was married, twenty-one years ago. The fowl is in good health, says the West.—Halsey News.

A couple of potatoes, of which twenty-five make a bushel by weight, the gift of a Colfax gentleman, and one mammoth tuber from Mr. Richardson, of Pendleton, Oregon, are on exhibition in a show window in Pennsylvania, the wonder of all beholders.—E. O.

Many hundred freight cars have been wrecked on the Union Pacific during the past year, and as a consequence freight cars are scarce articles. It is said that the road between Huntington and Pocatello is lined with wreckage.—E. O.

Kissing-bees are all the rage in the basin. It fell to the lot of one of our young men to kiss twenty young ladies. The way he pulled off his coat and waded in, would put John L. Sullivan to the blush. He came out without a scratch.—Heppner Record.

Mr. R. C. Breeding, of Haystack, sent this office by Mr. Enmitt, a pair of monster turkeys, the heaviest weighing 10 lbs., 14 oz., trimmed of all leaves. This is only a sample of what is raised in that favored region. It came in too late to occupy a place in Mr. Minor's exhibit, though well worthy of the most prominent place.—Heppner Record.

Pendleton grocery men, also their customers are kicking. It appears that the honest farmer who sells butter frequently makes his rolls considerably under weight in order to more quickly pay off his mortgage. Two-pound rolls are found to weigh one and one-half or one and three-quarters pounds, and the one-pound rolls are equally deceptive. The dealers say they are willing to pay good prices for butter, but want to receive all they pay for.—E. O.

WASHINGTON. The Washington soldiers' home will be located at Orting.

A Farmer's Statement About Prices. A democratic farmer at Chemawa asks us to insert the following, as his party has no organ at Salem. It is dated Nov. 8th:

To-day's sale occurred at the school, and consisted of the following: Cattle and horses; cows sold from \$20 to \$15, and the three hogs from \$9 to \$40 more or less. But the most interesting thing that happened there was the remarks made by a Mr. Beak, an importer of fine horses, who lives near Salem.

He was telling some of his experiences in buying some things he needed, while in England. Among other things was pitcheffs, like the farmers use in harvest. They were selling the American forks at retail at 10 pence or about 30 cents of our money, in competition with the English manufacturer at his own home, and actually sold under their very noses at Sheffield. The English said they could beat us a few cents, if it was not for the handles, which had to be imported. But here is the "rub" to the business. That same fork costs me and any other man who owns one in America, just seventy cents. In other words, the American manufacturer by consenting to have the "fat" fried out of him occasionally, is allowed the rather fat privilege of soaking it to the American people at the rate of about one hundred and fifty per cent. over and above what they sell at to the demitition Britishers, and you can just bet he is not sending them over there for his health, either.

Another thing David Grierson stated, that when he was in Scotland after his last lot of horses, he bought an American sewing machine for his sister there. (I believe it was a Singer) and it cost five pounds, a little less than \$25. When in New York on the road home and almost at the factory, as it were, the lowest priced machine of that make cost \$75.

Now a few such cold facts as these are mighty interesting reading to an American clothopper who has to buy these tools at protection figures and sell wheat in Liverpool in competition with the rest of the world. Fine spun theories look mighty nice sometimes until they run up bang against practice, when they often get knocked out on the first round, or words to that effect. Yours Truly, F. J. B.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 29, 1889. Royal Baking Powder. Absolutely Pure. A Prosperous Year. Oregon's People Have Occasion to Rejoice.—The Immigration Will be Large.

While droughts and failure of crops are a thing unheard of in Oregon, some years are more productive than others and the prices of all farm products are more satisfactory. This seems to have been one of those especially favorable years. Not for several years have the farmers been so well paid for their labor as they have this year.

Wheat and butter have commanded a good price all summer, and now the market can not be supplied by the home production, and butter must be shipped in from abroad. Even poultry has been a paying business. Eggs are now very scarce in the Salem market, and are commanding a good round price.

The poor crops in many of the eastern states will drive many people away from there, and a good share of these will find homes in Oregon. There are many others in Dakota, Nebraska and Kansas who will be only too glad to come west if they only had the means to bring them away.

From Corvallis. The following cadet officers were appointed last week for three companies of the O. A. C. Adjutant, John H. Starr.

Company "A," captain, Geo. L. Paul; lieutenant, James Alexander; sergeants, Horace Lilly, R. W. Scott, T. E. Wilson; corporals, B. B. Swann, M. Chandler, F. Caples, C. B. Conborn.

Company "B," captain, Chas. Johnson; lieutenant, E. M. Miller; sergeants, H. A. Andrews, H. Samuels, N. J. Rowan, A. M. Gray; corporals, L. B. Andrews, J. Buchanan, C. Longhain, and H. McAllister.

Company "C," captain, John Fulton, brevet captain; lieutenant, C. P. Andrews; sergeants, E. R. Lyman, J. McFadden, and E. W. Emmett; corporals, T. Mitchell, A. B. Kidder, A. Rinehart, J. N. Vorhees.

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